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Serial No. 10/032,295	Filing Date December 21, 2001	Examiner KIKNADZE, Irakli	Group Art Unit 2882		
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Title of Invention ELECTRIC DISCHARGE DET	ECTION CIRCUIT				

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	Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.												
·	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR1.27.												
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